



HEAD OF SCHOOL LETTER 30 SEPT 2022

Dear wonderful BC Chapman waka whānau,

We are now in Week 10 and have reached the Term 3 holiday break. Thank you for your love, encouragement, and support throughout this Term. Recently, our Year 7 & 8 rangatahi learned about the significance of a 'staff'. Whaea Lisa has kindly given me the link <https://youtu.be/ONEngNGI9Uw> to share with you. It is worth listening to.

I didn't know that Hebrew children were given a staff/a long stick, when they were born. As the child grew up, they would put marks on the staff as a way of reminding them of the faithfulness of God. I have been thinking a great deal about this picture. Psalm 23 speaks about how the 'rod and staff' comfort me.

In our lives, it is good to pause to think about the many times that God provides, protects, spares, loves, comforts, and walks with us. A staff with the marks of God's goodness, is something that we can look at and lean on. Knowing that regardless of circumstances, God IS good and we can depend on Him. As parents, it is good to share this with our children, so they realize His hand in our individual and in our family life.



Me te aroha tonu
With love always

Hazel

1 Corinthians
13:3-4

If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.





BALLET EXAMS



A number of our kotiri/girls recently had their ballet exams. These photos are gorgeous! We are looking forward to hearing about and celebrating their results in the near future. Following the exams, they had their own celebration with ballerina cupcakes and all.



ANIMOSO CHOIR VISIT

On Monday 19th September, we were privileged to have the Animoso Choir come to spend the day with us. Our BC Chapman Choir were treated to two workshop sessions with Mrs Sally Horner, Mrs Kelly Hayward, and the talented young people of Animoso. Our kura enjoyed a Concert in which Animoso performed several different songs and our Choir reciprocated with two items.



It is always inspiring to have the 'Big Kids', as our tamariki refer to them. They hang on every word these young people share and any time with them is treasured. For our young singers, this is something they can aspire to potentially one day joining. The opportunities within the Performing Arts at Bethlehem College and potentially later at Tertiary level, are many. For those to whom God has gifted musically, it is evident that when they use that gift, their heart truly does sing and all those who form the audience are deeply blessed. We are appreciative of the effort made so that these special connections and memories, are made.



TOUCH RUGBY

Matua Rio has begun lunchtime practices with our two BC Chapman Touch Rugby teams. It is a blessing to have his coaching expertise. We have a Year 5 & 6 and a Year 7 & 8 team playing in the Mixed Grade. It is always exciting to watch their strategy and skills grow over the course of the season. The games will be played on Tuesday afternoons starting at the beginning of Term 4.

FUTURE FERNS NETBALL SKILLS PROGRAMME

Whaea Stacy is going to be working with our first two Netball teams made up of Year 3 & 4 and Year 5 & 6 players. We managed to make two teams, with the help of some extras from another school. Hopefully, this will be the beginning of growing interest in the sport of Netball in our kura. These games will be at the Westbrook Netball Courts and commence on **Monday 17th October** at 4pm and 5:15pm respectively.

SPRING FAIR

Our Spring Fair will be held on the 11th November which is at the end of Week 3 in Term 4. Please keep a watchful eye on the BC Chapman Facebook and on emails which are sent out requesting support. This is a HUGE community undertaking and its success is dependent upon our involvement. We have plenty of opportunities to express 'aroha', our 2022 theme, across the wider community of Rotorua.



HOUSE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

After a beautiful long weekend in which the soggy ground had time to actually dry, we held our BC Chapman annual House Football Tournament on Tuesday. Excited, enthusiastic tamariki armed with their colour coordinated house regalia, loudly supported their teams. Moving seamlessly from one Junior to one Senior game after the next, kept us all entertained as spectators, and as the day wore on the points were being tallied.

Our 2022 House Football Tournament trophy winners, are:

Junior

Golden Boot (striker) Malachi Hall - Tika

Golden Ball (sportsmanship) Coen Otter - Tuari

Golden Glove (defender) Lydia-Rose Muliaga - Atawhai

Senior

Golden Boot (striker) Jude Goodgame - Tuari

Golden Ball (sportsmanship) Kardeiz McLellan and Francis Naera - Atawhai

Golden Glove (defender) Aria Parker - Tika

Special thanks to Whaea Lisa for organizing the Tournament Draw and Maika 'Alofi for refereeing the games throughout the day. Thanks also to the parents who braved the weather to support our community event.





HOUSE RESULTS

Place	Level	House
1 st	Junior	Tika and Atawhai
2 nd	Junior	N/a
3 rd	Junior	Mahaki
4 th	Junior	Tuari
1 st	Senior	Mahaki
2 nd	Senior	Tika
3 rd	Senior	Atawhai
4 th	Senior	Tuari





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FAREWELL TO ANELDA AND THE VENTER FAMILY

As the BC Chapman waka whanau, we want to honour Whaea Anelda for the multiple ways she has expressed whakapono/faith, tumanako/hope and aroha/love. From teaching reading and maths across classes to assisting our tamariki with their writing, she has enabled them to progress. Whaea Anelda has led us in catering for Camps, 'Waka Tautoko' Chapman PTA, Powhiri and other in inter-school events. Our hearts are full of gratitude for the season of time we have enjoyed together. Our prayers for God's immeasurable blessing to go with Whaea Anelda, Petrus her husband and their tamariki Sam, Markus, Jemima and Dawid as they take this exciting step of faith and move to Hamilton



Primary-aged Cricket

Summer 2022-23 out-of-school Programme

SuperSmash Cricket (Years 0-3 approx.) – Thursday or Tuesday afternoons

- Run by Northern Districts Cricket, SuperSmash Cricket is best suited to children 5-8 years old
- Designed to help participants learn the basic skills of cricket (throw, catch, strike, etc).
- Cost is \$30 for the 6-week programme - based at Smallbone Park.
- Mixed genders and all gear provided
- Children / parents can pick **either** Tuesday or Thursday afternoons to attend
- Tuesdays from 1st Nov to 6 Dec, Thursdays from 3rd Nov to 8th Dec.
- Children register as individuals

Incrediball Cricket (Years 4-6 approx.) – Thursday afternoons

- Incrediball is a modified game of cricket using a soft ball / plastic gear. Its suited for children who understand the basics of cricket or have reasonably developed hand-eye coordination.
- Games held Thursday, 3.45pm till 5pm (approx.) at Smallbone Park, Devon Street.
- Starts on 3rd November through until 15th December
- Costs for Incrediball is \$35 per player
- Incrediball teams are required to have a coach and someone to score / umpire
- Mixed genders and all equipment is provided.
- Schools ideally register a whole 'team'.

Girls-only Incrediball (Years 5-8) - Thursday evenings

- Girls only – for Years 5-8. \$30 per player
- Soft bats, soft balls – all gear provided
- A focus on coaching, skills development which builds towards games
- 5pm – 6pm at Smallbone Park, Devon Street.
- 6-week programme starting on 3rd November to 8th December
- Children register as individuals


Harrow Hardball Cricket – (Ages 8-11 approx.) - Saturday Mornings


- Hard cricket ball, wooden bats and protective (helmets, gloves, batting pads etc) are to be used, along with a hard cricket ball.
- Hardball teams are 8-aside, mixed gender
- Will begin on 29th Oct until 17th Dec and resume in late Jan 2023 (final dates tbc)
- Players are to remain their Term 4 'grade' / team for the duration of the season.
- The cost for hardball cricket is \$70 per player **for the whole season**
- Teams are required to have a coach and someone to score / umpire.
- Schools/Clubs ideally register a 'team'.
- Games start at 9am and are played in either Rotorua and occasionally Tokoroa, Taupo or Whakatane.

If your School wishes to register a team, have a couple of players who want to play please contact the Cricket Coordinator at: info@rotoruacricicket.co.nz. It is a requirement that all players and teams are registered on PlayHQ – more information will be provided on this as registrations are received to RCA. All registrations need to be in by 21st October, **but ideally by the end of Term 3.**




Behaviour Management Workshop

 Tuesday 18 October

 7:30pm

 Westbrook School Hall

 Ticket price: \$10

Refreshments will be provided on arrival

- What is acceptable behaviour?
- Identifying the start of a behavioural moment
- How to control the situation from escalating
- How to stay calm and in control
- The importance of positive attention
- How to create time for yourself as a parent

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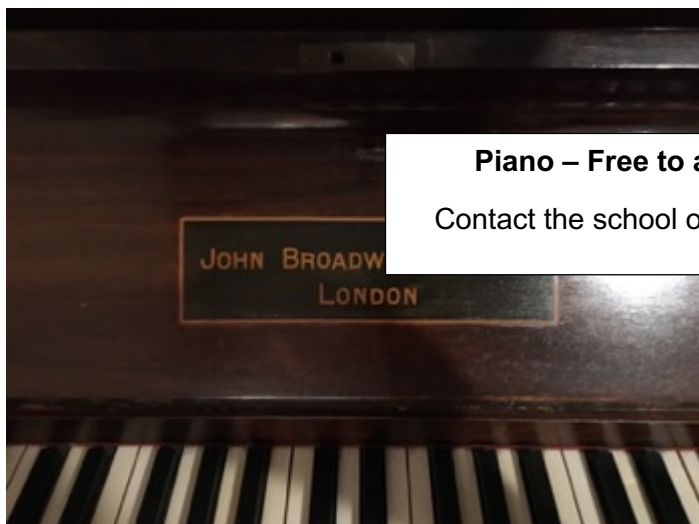


BEHAVIOUR MANAGEMENT PARENTING COURSE – 18TH OCTOBER

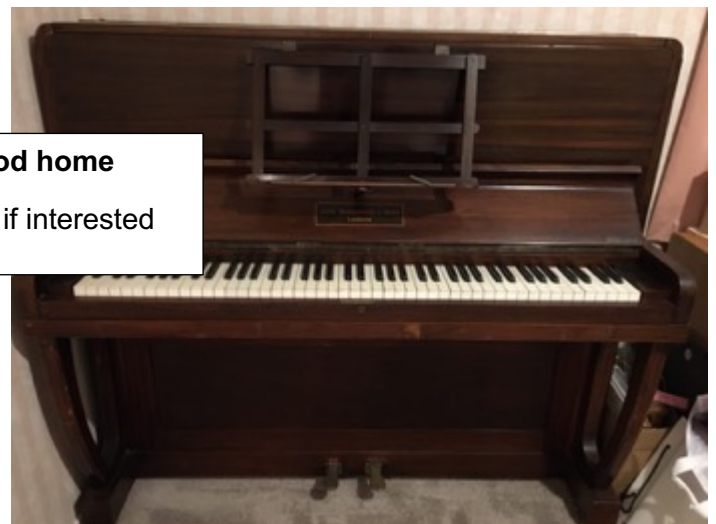
This is a collaborative event between Rotorua Parent Centre and Early Learning Consultants. They will discuss many aspects of children's behaviour and development and look at practical strategies to support your daily life as a parent. There will be time allowed to discuss your challenges and concerns if needed.

PRAYER FOR BC CHAPMAN

Some of our parents get together on Wednesday mornings at 8:45am, to pray for our school for an hour. Please contact the school office for details



Piano – Free to a good home
Contact the school office if interested



IMPORTANT DATES

Friday 30th Sep - Last day Term 3 Mufti Day - Gold Coin donation for Limapela School

Monday 17th Oct – Kaimahi/Staff Only Day

Monday 17th Oct – Uniform Shop open 10am to 2pm (Summer Uniform)

Monday 17th October - **Future Ferns Netball Summer Series begins**

Tuesday 18th Oct – Term four starts

Tuesday 18th Oct - **Touch Rugby Term 4 Competition begins**

Tuesday 25th Oct – Powhiri (Welcome Solana Santos, Nathan Zhou and Aaron Zhou)

Thursday 27th Oct – Final dose HPV vaccination – Year 8

Friday 4th Nov – Interschool Speech and Chess Comp

Friday 11th Nov – Spring Fair PLEASE NOTE CHANGE

Monday 21st Nov - Accord Day (Staff only)

Monday 28th Nov - Accord Day (Staff only)

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